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PREFACE.

A FEW years ago Mr. Greenidge, of Hertford College, Oxford, published his excellent *Outlines of Greek Constitutional History*. It occurred to the present writer, while preparing boys for classical scholarships, that a shorter and more elementary book might be of considerable use to masters and boys of the higher forms at public schools, and also to University students who, while preparing for their final classical examination, have not time or inclination for reading the larger and more comprehensive work.

With such an idea this book was begun. As it progressed some efforts were made towards originality of treatment; but the debt owed to

Mr. Greenidge's worthier labours will be sufficiently evident to readers.

Further obligations are acknowledged in the text and footnotes.

The editions of Aristotle's *Politics* and of the Ἀθηναίων Πολιτεία to which references are made are those of Susemihl and Blass, respectively, in the Teubner series. The translations of passages from the *Politics* are taken, by kind permission of Messrs. Macmillan and Co., from Welldon's edition.

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